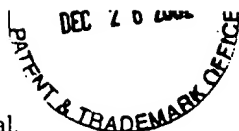


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In response to the outstanding Official Action of September 26, 2002, reconsideration of the above-identified application is respectfully requested in view of the following amendment and remarks:

IN THE CLAIMS

Please add new claims 7-19 as follows:

7. (New) The sheet cosmetic of claim 1, wherein said aqueous gel sheet has a light transmittance of 80% or more.
8. (New) The sheet cosmetic of claim 1, wherein said aqueous gel sheet has a light transmittance of 85% or more.
9. (New) The sheet cosmetic of claim 1, having an adhesion force 1-90 times its own weight.
10. (New) The sheet cosmetic of claim 1, having an adhesion force 1-50 times its own weight.
11. (New) The sheet cosmetic of claim 1, having a gel strength of 200-1,000 g/cm².
12. (New) The sheet cosmetic of claim 1, having a gel strength of 200-800 g/cm².